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DOGON

Dogon figure, Mali, h. 32cm

- Private collection, Brussels, Belgium
- By descent through the family

Statue Dogon, Mali, h. 32cm

- Collection privée Bruxelles, Belgique
- Par descendance dans la famille

YAKA

Yaka fetish figure, D.R.Congo, h. 16m

- Private collection, Brussels, Belgium

Statuette fétiche Yaka, R.D.Congo, h. 16cm

- Collection privée, Bruxelles, Belgique

GURO

Guro figure, , Ivory Coast, h. 53cm

- On order of Charles Ratton, collected in situ by Hans Himmelheber, Heidelberg, Germany between 1933 - 1935
- Charles Ratton, Paris, France
- Carel van Lier (1897 – 1945), Amsterdam / Laren, The Netherlands: #22.783
- Private collection
- Collection Geert Hendrik van der Zee, Leerdam, The Netherlands
- By descent through the family

Statue Gouro, Côte d'Ivoire, h. 53cm

NGUNI

Nguni club ‘knobkerrie’ South Africa , h. 52cm

Provenance:

- Wolf-Dieter Miersch Collection, Langenhagen, Germany
- Private collection, Bretagne, France
- Galerie Olivier Larroque, Nîmes, France (2019)

Publication:

- Exposition catalogue ‘Essence des formes’, Brussels, Belgium:2019: N°II-III

Exhibition:

- Galerie Olivier Larroque ‘Essence of forms’ during The World Arts Fair, 12 – 16 June 2019
- Paris, France: ‘Paris Tribal’, Galerie Olivier Larroque, 9 – 13 March 2022

Massue Nguni ‘knobkerrie’ Afrique du Sud , h. 52cm

MUMUYE

Mumuye ‘Iagalagana’ figure, Nigeria, h. 61cm

- Private collection, Brussels, Belgium

Statue ‘Iagalagana’, Mumuye, Nigéria, h. 61cm

- Collection privée, Bruxelles, Belgique

DOGON

‘Sirige’ Mask, Dogon, Mali, h. 174cm

- Private collection, Brussels, Belgium
- By descent through the family

Masque ‘Sirige’, Dogon, Mali, h. 174cm

- Collection privée Bruxelles, Belgique
- Par descendance dans la famille

TEKE

Teke figure, Congo Brazzaville, h. 22cm

- Private collection, France

Statue Teke, Congo Brazzaville, h. 22cm

- Collection privée, France

TOUSSIAN

Kablé mask, Toussian, Burkina Faso, h. 53cm

- René and Maud Garcia, Paris, France
- Private collection, The Netherlands

Masque Kablé, Toussian, Burkina Faso, h. 53cm

- René et Maud Garcia, Paris, France
- Collection privée, Pays-Bas

MANGBETU

Mangbetu harp, ‘kundi’ , D.R.Congo, h. 59cm

Provenance:

- Merton D.Simpson, (1928 – 2013), New York, USA
- Galerie Didier Claes, Brussels, Belgium

Publication:

- Exposition catalogue: Dolin (Coryse Mwape), ‘Harpes/Harps’, Galerie Didier Claes, 2018:12, 35, #4

Exhibition:

- Galerie Didier Claes, ‘Cultures, The World Arts Fair’, 6 – 10 June 2018, Brussels, Belgium

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Harpe Mangbetu, ‘kundi’ , R.D.Congo, h. 59cm

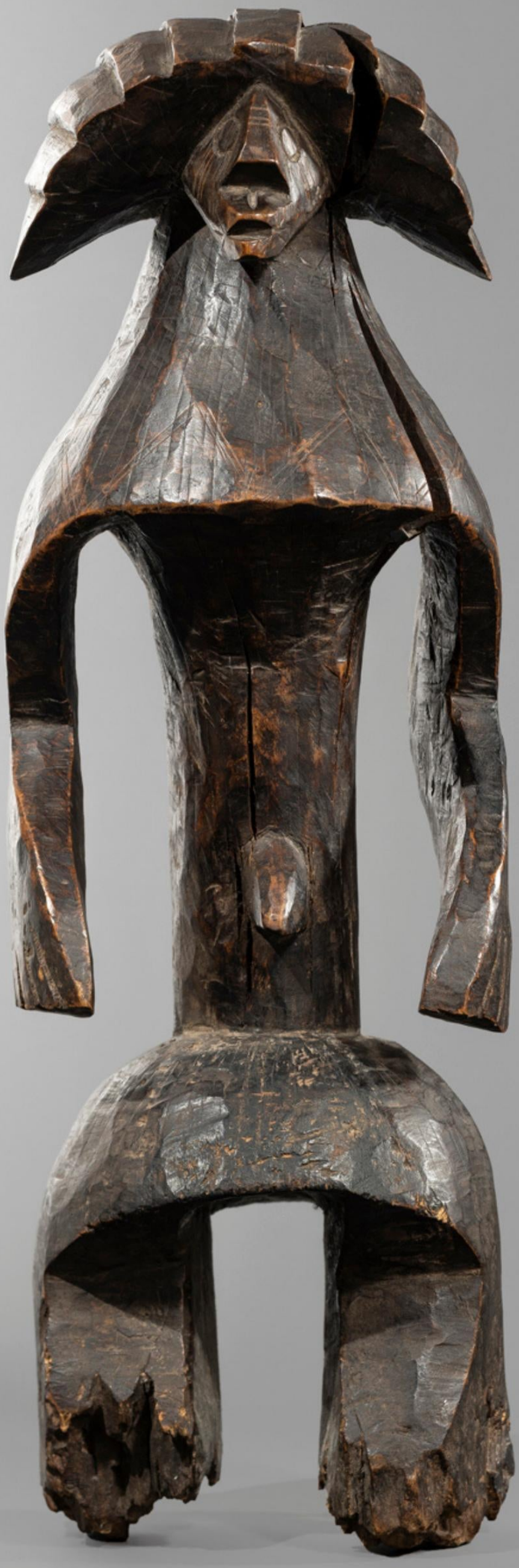
MUMUYE

Mumuye ‘Iagalagana’ figure, Nigeria, h. 54cm

- Collection Paul Rutten (1942 – 2003), Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- Private collection, Belgium, 2012

Statue ‘Iagalagana’, Mumuye, Nigéria, h. 54cm

- Collection Paul Rutten (1942 – 2003), Amsterdam, Pays-Bas
- Collection privée, Belgium, 2012



SONGYE

Songye ‘Kifwbe’ mask, D.R.Congo, h. 33m

- Private collection, Germany
- Private collection, Brussels, Belgium

Masque ‘Kifwebe’, Songye, R.D.Congo, h. 33cm

- Collection privée, Allemagne
- Collection privée, Bruxelles, Belgique

BAULE

‘Gbekre’ figure, Baule, Ivory Coast, h. 64cm

- Private collection, The Netherlands

Statue ‘Gbekre’, Baoulé, Côte d’Ivoire, h. 64cm

- Collection privée, Pays-Bas

MOSSI

Mask, Mossi, Burkina Faso, h. 63cm

- René and Maud Garcia, Paris, France
- Private collection, The Netherlands

Masque, Mossi, Burkina Faso, h. 63cm

- René et Maud Garcia, Paris, France
- Collection privée, Pays-Bas

LWENA

Lwena vessel, Angola, h. 20cm

Provenance:

- Private collection, France
- Galerie Lucas Ratton, Paris, France

Exhibition:

- Galerie Lucas Ratton, Brafa 2018, Brussels, Belgium

Réceptable Lwena, Angola, h. 20cm

MUMUYE

Mumuye figure, Nigeria, h. 52cm

Provenance:

- Alain Dufour, Saint Maur, 1960's - 2007
- Lucien Van de Velde, Antwerp, Belgium, 2007
- Collection Rutger and Irene der Kinderen, The Netherlands 2007 – 2022

Publication:

- Expo catalogue: 'Tribal Treasures in Dutch Private Collections', The Netherlands, 2008:93
- Expo catalogue: 'Summer Collection', David Serra, Barcelona, Spain, 2022:43-44
- Online catalogue Tribal Art Society (TAS), September 2022:96-99
- Expo catalogue 'Statuaire Mumuye du Nigeria. Les Gardiens du Poème', Brussels, Renaud Riley, 2023

Statue Mumuye, Nigéria, h. 52cm

Exhibition:

- ‘Art Africain, Nouvelle Découvertes/Afrikaanse Kunst, Nieuwe Ontdekkingen’, Lucien Van de Velde, 17 – 18 March 2007
- Berg en Dal, The Netherlands: ‘Van Verre Volken Thuis – Kunst in de Kamer’, Afrika Museum, 4 October 2008 – 4 January 2009
- ‘Summer Collection’, David Serra, Bruneaf, Brussels 15 – 19 June 2022
- ‘Statuaire Mumuye du Nigeria. Les Gardiens du Poème’, Renaud Riley, 7-10 September 2023

YORUBA

Ibeji figures, Yoruba, Nigeria, h. 22cm and 22cm
Osogbo Erin Oyo workshop

- Didier Claes, Brussels, Belgium 2005
- Private collection, Belgium

Couple Ibeji, Yoruba, Nigéria, h. 22cm et 22cm
Atelier de Osogbo Erin Oyo

- Didier Claes, Bruxelles, Belgique, 2005
- Collection privée, Belgique

DAN

Dan figure, Ivory Coast, h. 47cm

- Lucien Van de Velde, Antwerp, Belgium 2007

Statue Dan, Côte d’Ivoire, h. 47cm

- Lucien Van de Velde, Anvers, Belgique 2007

LUGURU

Luguru staff, Tanzania, h. 138cm

- Private collection, The Netherlands

Canne Luguru, Tanzanie, h. 138cm

- Collection privée , Pays-Bas

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